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C O N F I D E N T I A L DACCA 5552

DEPT FOR M/CT AND S/S-O

E.O.11652: GDS
TAGS: PINS, EAIR, BG
SUBJECT: JAL HIJACKING

REFS: (A) DACCA 5533; (B) STATE 235085; (C) DACCA 5508

1. FIRST SENTENCE KARABIAN STATEMENT REPORTED REF(A), SHOULD
BE AMENDED AS FOLLOWS:

2. "MR. AND MRS. GABRIEL, MR. KARABIAN AND FIVE OTHER
AMERICANS INCLUDING A MEMBER OF THE U.S. DEPARTMENT
OF STATE WHO ARE ON BOARD THE AIRCRAFT ARE NOT INVOLVED
IN THIS POLITICAL STRUGGLE."

3. WE HAD PREVIOUSLY ASSUMED ON BASIS DEPARTMENT'S
REF(B) THAT POSSIBLE TEN AMCITS REMAINED ON BOARD AIRCRAFT
AFTER RELEASE OF MRS. KARABIAN AND MR. KRUEGER YESTERDAY
EVENING. KARABIAN'S STATEMENT SUGGESTS THAT PASSENGERS
ALTEREJOS AND SANDS, FOR WHOM DEPARTMENT WAS UNABLE
TO FIND PASSPORT RECORDS REF (B), MAY NOT BE AMCITS.

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AS REPORTED REF (C), AUSTRALIAN HIGH COMMISSIONER TOLD
AMBASSADOR THAT RELEASED AUSTRALIAN PASSENGER ABDUL
MALEK THOUGHT SANDS WAS AN AUSTRALIAN.

4. FRG EMBASSY IN DACCA HAS ASKED US TO REQUEST THAT
DEPARTMENT BRIEF FRG EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON ON LATEST
HIJACK DEVELOPMENTS. THEIR DACCA EMBASSY CANNOT OPERATE

ITS COMMUNICATIONS AT THIS HOUR 2015 HOURS LOCAL TIME.

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